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Batch No. : C67
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Title : METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR TREATING AND PREVENTING
INFLAMMATION OF MUCOSAL TISSUE

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Washington, D.C. 20231


RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed February 27, 2001, enclosed are a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85B, transmittal of 2 sheets of formal drawings, and a check for \$650 for the required fee, including patent copies. Also enclosed is a copy of Notice of Publication Fee and the appropriate filing fee of \$300.

Please apply any charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 15, 2001


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RESPONSE TO RULE 312 COMMUNICATION

In response to the Communication mailed May 24, 2001, Applicant notes that Formal Drawings were submitted with the papers filed May 15, 2001 paying the issue fee. For the Examiner's convenience, copies of the papers filed May 15, 2001 are attached. Thus, no additional papers or filing fees appear to be required. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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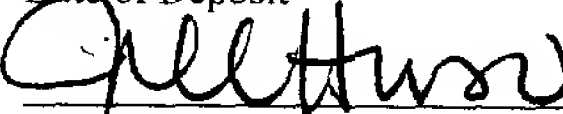
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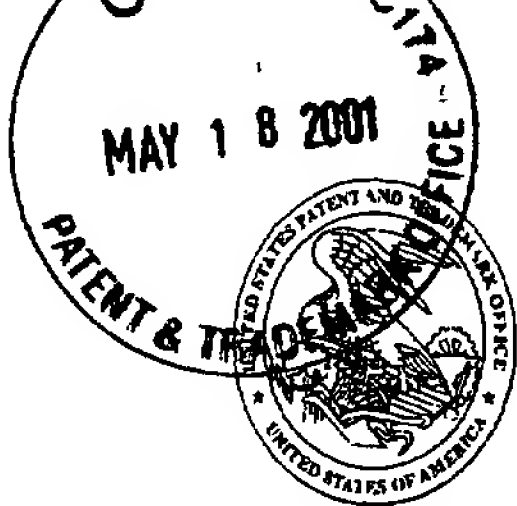
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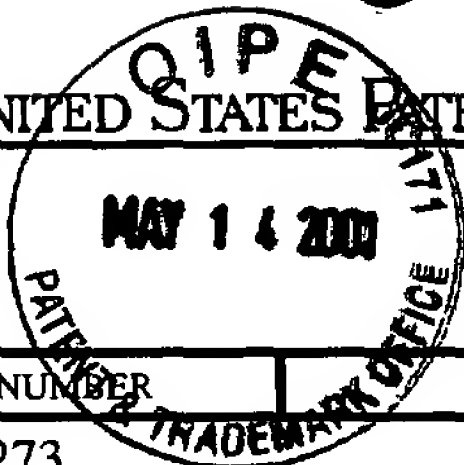
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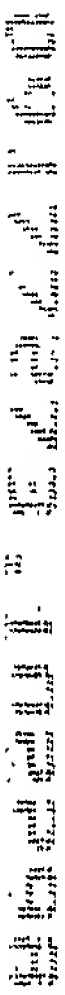
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